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| May 2010 | | | | | | |
| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| 2 | 3  Introduction Activity  Explanation of Portfolios and class rubric. | 4 DS  "Making connections"  Group lesson to introduce friendship poems. | 5 DS  "A Time to Talk" Poem by Robert Frost  Each student rewrites the poem in their own words. | 6 DS  "Friendship" Sonnet by William Shakespeare  Students will complete a target notes tool to use to construct their own sonnets. | 7 CM  Computer Lab | 8 |
| 9 | 10 CM  Of Mice and Men Introduction  (K-W-L Chart on Great Depression)  Students will be informed to read pages 1-37 by Wed for 1st quiz | 11 CM  Of Mice and Men  Setting  Show clips of scenes from the Great Depression and discuss. | 12 JM  (No journal entry)  First Quiz on  Of Mice and Men  Discussion  Students will be informed to read pages 38-107 by next Wed for final quiz | 13 JM  Of Mice and Men  Character Analysis Activity | 14 CM  Computer Lab! | 15 |
| 16 | 17 JM  Introduce  Of Mice and Men  Newspaper  Activity | 18 JM  Finish  Of Mice and Men  Newspaper Activity | 19 JM  (No journal entry)    Final Quiz on  Of Mice and Men!  Discussion | 20 JM  Watch Movie  "Of Mice and Men"  Compare and Contrast Film with Novel. | 21 CM  Computer Lab!  (Last Day for Blogs) | 22 |
| 23 | 24  Class receives rubric and job descriptions for  the debate.  They will break  into their groups and begin working on their arguments. | 25  Students will break into groups and work on debate. | 26  Class Debate! | 27  Students will finalize their portfolios and catch up on any missed assignments or journals.  In-class reflective writing | 28  Final Portfolios Due! | 29 |
| 30 | 31  Portfolio Presentations! |  | | | | |